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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Fee Transmittal PTO/SB/17;
2. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
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